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Phrynosoma orbicularia Wiegman and *P. taurus* Cope are both abundant in the Valley of Mexico, and specimens of both species when rubbed on the top of the head have time and again been observed to expel blood from the eyes as a result. This experiment, according to Sr. Cuesta, is almost invariably successful in the afternoons during the summer, or, in other words, when the animal's sensitivity is warmed up to its greatest intensity by the hottest weather. In the winter, or after long confinement in unnatural surroundings, the lizards rarely respond in the same manner.

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CLEMMYS MUHLENBERGI AT LAKE GEORGE, NEW YORK.

Numbers of northern records have recently been published for Muhlenberg's turtle, and as I have been guilty of overlooking some of these, I take pleasure in calling attention to the northernmost record for this species, which the recent writers on the subject seem to have overlooked.

Dr. A. K. Fisher, in the *American Naturalist* for 1887, page 672, published a brief note entitled "Muhlenberg's Tortoise (*Chelopus muhlenbergi* Schweigger) at Lake George, N. Y."

The specimens were taken at the head of Dunham's Bay, in a sphagnum bog.

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